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In re Application of:

STINSON

Title:

NEUROANEURYSM OCCLUSION AND DELIVERY DEVICE AND METHOD OF
USING SAME

Docket No.: PC10247C

Box PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate under 37 CFR § 1.10.
- Request for Continuation Application Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) with copy of prior application as filed in U.S. Serial No. 09/123,240, filed July 27, 1998, consisting of: Specification (27 pgs. including 32 claims); Abstract (1 pg.); and 23 sheets of drawings; Declaration and Power of Attorney as filed in U.S. Serial No. 09/123,240.
- A Preliminary Amendment (6 pages).
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) and Form 1449 (2 pages).
- Set for formal drawings (26 sheets).
- A return postcard.
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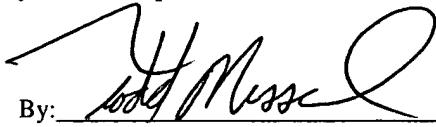
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of prior application Serial No. 09/123,240, filed on July 27, 1998, entitled NEUROANEURYSM OCCLUSION AND DELIVERY DEVICE AND METHOD OF USING SAME, with the following inventor(s):

1	Full Name of Inventor	Family Name	First Given Name	Second Given Name
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A copy of the prior application as filed is enclosed including a copy of the oath or declaration filed in the parent application.

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

A set of formal drawings is enclosed (26 sheets).

An Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 are enclosed.

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application including any amendment referred to herein.

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Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence, "This is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/123,240, filed July 27, 1998."

Priority of application Serial No. **insert #**, filed on **date**, in **country** is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. 08/**, filed **date**.

A petition and fee has been filed to extend the term in the prior application until June 8, 2001. A courtesy copy of the petition for extension of time in the prior application is attached.

The prior application is assigned of record to Schneider (USA), Inc.. as recorded at Reel 9354, Frame 0631.

The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:

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The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that willful false statements so made may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,



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